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Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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French and German Soldiers Mutually Agree to Passage of Food Wagons

M. Maurice Jarres, writing in the "Echo de Paris," said: "The enemy soldiers, in our food wagons, are doing us the courtesy of letting them pass through the trenches and over the barbed wire, although we hear them well enough when they arrive in the silence of the evening, for on both sides we respect them. Similarly at night the French and German sentinels, posted well in front of the trenches and close to each other, refrain from firing at each other."

M. Barres adds: "Are not these customs which spring up without an expressed agreement sufficiently striking?"

"So absolutely regulated has this warfare become that at one place of the Sulpes road there is an understood daily truce of one hour to allow of both sides - training supplies of fresh water from a good well which happens to lie between the lines."

"Punctually to the minute the whistle sounds, and the men troop out with buckets, and five minutes before the hour is up the whistle goes again; for one minute after the hour the sharpshooters are sniping briskly. I am told that while as a rule the water carriers do their work in silence, confining their attention to the opposite camp to scowls, at times they get so fatigued, and officers have hastily to separate the red trousers from the blue-grey rolling in the mud."

What Britain Stands For

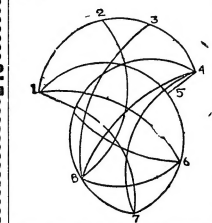
"Britain in almost every age has been the friend of the enslaved and the protector of the weak. Where she has gone liberty has followed. Justice has been her motto, and liberty and freedom so far as was consonant with law and order. Britain has been an altruistic nation to a greater extent than any nation in the world."—Sir George Foster, in a speech at Toronto.

The campaign which produced the most V.C.'s was the Indian Mutiny, in which 182 were won.

RECONSTRUCT THIS CIRCLE

Can You Do It Without Looking at the Explanation Below the Picture?

The funny-looking object below is just a circle with a lot of lines drawn through it to deceive your eyes. It doesn't look like a circle, now, that is because it is drawn through with a pair of scissors and the two pieces joined together to form the figure you see. Now, can you by one cut of the scissors along one of the lines restore the circle to its former roundness? One cut will do it. Then join the two pieces and you will have a circle.



Here is the method of procedure: Cut from 5 to 1; place point 1 at point 7 and 4 where 1 originally was a; the end of the portion cut

Real Scotch Porridge

Thrift, resourcefulness, and laudable dishes are marked characteristics of Scottish cooks, and their alertness to do ample credit to the catering of their womenfolk.

Now that housewives have to be very careful, both of their money and their food, they cannot do better than try the simple, nourishing, and inexpensive recipe of their Scottish sisters. Porridge is the basis and a splendid one, too.

Take quite the coarsest Scotch oatmeal, and steep overnight in cold water. Next morning pour into a saucepan, add a little milk, and keep stirring until the right consistency, neither too thick nor too thin. Twenty minutes' boiling is usually enough, and stir all the time or you will have a lumpy mixture instead of a smooth, creamy porridge. Salt according to taste. That's real Scotch porridge.

Soak Raisins and Currants

To improve the flavor of currants and raisins which are to be used for cakes, place them in a bowl, pour boiling water over them, and leave to soak all night. The fruit swells to twice its former size, but should be drained from the water and dried in the oven before being added to the other ingredients.

Dip Doughnuts in Water

When frying doughnuts, it is a splendid scheme to have a dish of boiling water on the stove. As each cake is done, lift it out with a fork and dash it quickly into the boiling water and out again.

To make the gas burn brightly, a little salt should be sprinkled over the top of the mantle. This should be done when the gas is burning.

Mary Carnell of Philadelphia is a woman photographer in the United States.

Lions in California

Two thousand and ninety-nine mountain lions have been killed in California since 1907, according to a statement by the State Fish and Game Commission. The State pays a bounty of \$20 for each lion killed.

ACCEPTABLE GIFTS
FOR BRIDAL SHOWER

Useful Articles For the Kitchen and Dainty Japanese Ware For the Whole House

The girl who is about to be married is nowadays entertained by all her friends with pretty gifts in the shape of "showers."

Let one of the number send out the invitations written on light colored wrapping paper. Roll them out and tie with wrapping twine.

If one has a large kitchen have the party there.

Of course, there must be graters, beaters, lemon squeezers, skimmer, measuring cups, spoons (all sizes in tin and two wooden ones with split bowls), spatula, cake tin, bread pans, muffin tins, pie pans (assorted sizes), granite pans with long handles, small tea kettle, double boiler, steamer, teapot, four after coffee scoop, cup for measuring coffee, oil can, one-lette pans, molds for jellies and puddings, cork screws, can opener, ice pick, sink strainer, dish pans in a kitchen.

A buffet luncheon, served on the range, will be fine if the company is not too large. Serve coffee, crisp bacon and griddle cakes or waffles, requiring each to bake her own, and give a prize to the one who bakes the most perfect one.

Or a Japanese shower is a little more elaborate and quite a favorite just now. You'll be surprised to find what pretty and useful Japanese furnishings you can get for the bride's new home.

The blue Japanese towels, which come at 40 cents apiece, make most acceptable lunch cloths if sewed to gether, or may be used in strips through center of table. Then there are the regular lunch cloths in different sizes, and dollies to match, as well as napkins. A set of curtains for a breakfast or dining room may be made from the towels and a valance over the top.

Teapots, sugar and creamer in blue, cups and saucers with plates to match, can be bought for 10 cents apiece. Salt and pepper shakers, a set of four, with a few small dishes for marmalade, pickles and an oblong blue tray for sandwiches make a complete luncheon set at very little expense.

A deep blue dish in which to put the numerous little Japanese houses and bridges filled with water, with pieces of horse radish roots that sprout and make a whole city, is a beautiful center piece for the table and quite the fad just now.

If the bride likes birds, a singing bird in a bamboo splint cage, with blue and white seed cups in it, will be an acceptable gift.

Condiment sets, toast racks, celery sets consisting of tray and salt dishes, rakamkins, sugar shakers, mustard pots with ivory ladle, vase for holding one or two Japanese bells for table, license pot, stamp box in brass, ink well in brass, basket for cakes with bamboo. Lamp and candle shades of split bamboo are more expensive gifts, but some may want to give them.

Luncheon of tea and rice cakes be served, using Japanese towels for lunch cloth and paper napkins and paper cherry blossoms for floral decorations.

Care of Clothes
A rubber sponge is an excellent thing to use when dry-cleaning woolen material, if it is rubbed briskly against the grain of the material, then with a clean cloth.

Macintosh coats which have become hard can be cleaned and made to look new with lime and water. A handful of the best grey lime should be dissolved in half a bucketful of water, and applied to the material by means of a sponge, the application being repeated after a few hours.

Prevention of Sore Feet
Be sure that boots are well-fitting, with broad soles, the uppers made of soft leather. Wear soft socks.

Wash feet with very soapy water, and dry carefully without rinsing. If the skin is unbroken, rub well with methylated spirit. Powder thickly with starch and borax, or boracic powder.

Keeping a Stove Bright
A method by which you can keep the stove ever shining is to first blacken and polish in the ordinary way, then rub with turpentine and polish with a piece of velvet. Then all that is required each week is to rub the stove over with turpentine and polish with velvet.

Proper Way.
"I wish you wouldn't growl so much," declared the wife, an exacting housewife.
"Why shouldn't I growl when the meals are cold?" retorted the husband.

"You took me from the stage to be your wife."
"Yes."
"Then if you disapprove of the way I play the part kindly express your disapproval by means of heating."

They Never Speak Now.
Maud—So Jack compared me with something sweet, did he? The dear fellow! What was it?
Marie—I don't think I should tell you.
Maud—Oh, do. I insist.
Marie—Well, he referred to you as "the human marshmallow." You certainly had laid the powder on thick, dear.

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After a very dry summer we now get a lot of rain. Of course, it is wanted to enable the farmers to get their crops in good shape. The cars will now have a rest as the roads are quite muddy.

The construction of the Canadian Bank of Commerce bank building at this point has commenced. Mr. W. H. Moser, of Leslieville, has charge of the construction work. The work of the concrete foundation is all done. The building will be one story high, of lumber, the size is 20 x 50 feet, located on the corner of Main street and First Avenue East. It sounds as if in a booming time, the hammers are pounding out, and our carpenters are at work, and still a shortage is in evidence. This was remedied by having people from neighboring towns come down to help.

The Eckville school opens up today with the same teacher as before, Miss Kiana.

The C.P.R. are standing their empty boxcars at work, and still in anticipation of the grain which they expect to haul from here.

It looks as though the C.P.R. will, in the near future, erect a stockyard at Kootuk. The material is there, but it takes a long time to get the work started. This is absolutely needed.

Reserve Recruit (on guard)—Advance and give the counterpane! The Courier (impatiently)—I've forgotten it.

Reserve Recruit (with equal impatience)—Well, say "Washington" and pass on. I'm not going to wait all day for you to think of it.—Puck.

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Rites Practised Even Yet in Some Southern Countries

The Voodoo worshippers of Haiti are one of the few peoples who comparatively recent times resorted to human sacrifice. There is one authenticated case where a French priest was conducted to the place where Voodoo rites were being celebrated and only by crying out at the last moment did he escape from the assembly and witnessing the ceremony.

The Voodoo worshippers are governed by a king and queen of great power. They work on the superstitious fears of the negroes and by a keen knowledge of natural forces and the dogs were forced to control their people. Voodoo is a very present fear to the negroes of the Southern United States as well as other countries.

In his latest successful play "The Flame," Richard Walton Tully brings into use some of the known laws of the Voodoo people. Although in the play the facts may seem overdrawn, they are in fact made up, milder than the actual. The usual sacrifice of the Voodoo god, which in Africa was a snake, is a goat or fowl. These are suspended by the hind legs and killed, their blood drained off and mixed with rum which is passed among the worshippers. The ceremony is preceded by a dance in a circle around the box containing the snake, and followed by a wild cry.

"THE GOAT WITHOUT HORNS"

"The Goat Without Horns," is the name given to the white child sacrificed to Voodoo. It is presumed to secure the propitiation of the God. In the case referred to above, the priest stated that the ceremony proceeded as in the case where a goat or a fowl were the offerings as they were in this case at first. When the animals had been sacrificed, a young votary fell on his knees before the Queen and said, "Oh, mamam, now give to us the supreme sacrifice, give to us the blood of the goat without horns." The Queen signalled to those surrounding her and they parted to disclose a white child bound and with a rope running to the ceiling from its feet. The child was jerked up by this rope and the king approached it with a sharp knife. At this point the priest could witness no more, and although he was warned that if he failed himself he would be killed, he cried out. He was immediately silenced by his escort and hastily dragged away.

He complained to the police, but they would do nothing until the next day, and then the only sign that remained was a few blood stains, some ashes where the body had been burned on the sacrifice fire.

Voodooism was brought to the new world by the slaves. The worship of the Python, which is practiced in many parts of Africa seems to have given the inspiration for this form of worship, in the practice of the Voodoo rites there is always a box on which the Queen sits, and this box is supposed to contain the snake god. The woman goes into a convulsive trance, and while in this state she is supposed to answer the requests of the worshippers. Her decisions are always of such an adaptable character that they can be applied to any situation which arises.

THE VOODOO POISONS

In Hayti and San Domingo the Voodoo people are and have been for many years powerful in the Government. They hold the people and the politicians in fear of the spells they can cast and these spells to the negroes are as real as the trees or the water. The poisons concocted are made from roots and herbs and are very powerful and deadly. Some times they are slipped in food or drink. There is one poison used by these people which if inhaled, with tobacco smoke causes almost instant death. It is on this fact that Mr. Tully has based the incident of the negro falling dead in the second act of "The Flame."

When there is to be a gathering of the Voodoo worshippers it is heralded by a beating of the tom toms which can be heard from a great distance. When these beatings are abroad in the land the white settlers prepare themselves for trouble as it usually follows the meeting of these dangerous folk. In the south Voodooism has been largely freed from its vicious elements, but it is undoubtedly true that in certain isolated sections there are still little bands of negroes who worship at the shrine of the green snake. That they do not sacrifice "the goat without horns" as is done by the worshippers in "The Flame" is due largely to their association with and fear of the white people with whom they have lived for so many generations.

ADMITS USING A BOMB

MONTREAL, Sept. 6.—Joseph Tremblay, one of the men arrested in connection with the dynamiting of Lord Atholstan's residence at Cartierville, confessed to the authorities yesterday that he placed the bomb near Lord Atholstan's house, having been forced to do so by Handfield (who committed suicide to avoid arrest), and Monette, who is still being hunted by the detectives, and he put it several feet from the house; otherwise the whole family would have been blown up. He said Handfield and Monette killed Aristide Payette, a farmer of St. Sulphure, and attempted to kill Conrad Therrien, a chauffeur, besides having committed other atrocities.

Rioters Attempt to Keep Priest out of Church

FORD, Ont., Sept. 9.—Following an

incident riot between half a score of police and a mob of several hundred men, who sought to keep Rev. Father Laurendeau from entering the church and presbytery of the parish of Our Lady of the Lake, Mayor Charles Montreuil read the riot act, while the police freely used batons. While the riot was at its height, Rev. Father Laurendeau, accompanied by Vicar-General O'Connor, of London, slipped into the presbytery and took possession in the name of Bishop Pallan. As soon as the police had fought their way to the verandah of the presbytery, they were faced by a double file of women and children, who offered resistance, and the doors were forced, but not before several had been badly hurt by hoses and rakes in the hands of the women.

Telephone communication was had with London and a detachment of 50 men and an officer were hurried to the scene.

A number of arrests were made. Among those arrested were Damon St. Pierre and Max Brabant, well-known citizens of Ford.

Father Laurendeau conducted two services today, but there were no demonstrations. He stated that he was there to remain in peace or pieces.

Lord Noroyne (modestly) — I

dreamt last night, James, that I had a lot of money.

His Valet—And 'so was the 'appy

American girl, me lad? — Boston Transcript.

"What did the jury do to St. Lawrence for stealing Bill Bailey's

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"Found him not guilty, but said

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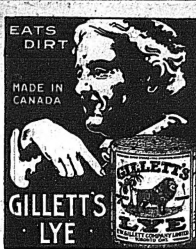
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clares that it will not take the re-

sponsibility of assisting in the elec-

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ever high his position in the party,

however emphatic his protestations

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The Free Press will take no chances

of being trapped into unwittingly

helping forward this huge game of

political fire-flam, which was played

with such open contempt for public

sentiment at the recent western Lib-

eral convention and is still being

played secretly and with greater

skill. For the duration of the war,

the Free Press is out of party poli-

tics. It knows only Canada and her

perils, and it recognizes only one

duty—that of serving the country

with whole-souled devotion."

A Weak Air Raid Over England

LONDON, Sept. 2.—A German air

raid on the coast of England to-

night was announced by the official

bureau. Bombs were dropped as the

airplanes crossed East Kent.

Press dispatches from the south-

east coast reported only one air-

plane engaged in the raid. None of

the five injured are seriously. The

raid lasted only a few minutes. The

night was brilliantly clear, with a

full moon.

The text of the statement reads:

"Hostile airplanes crossed the east

Kent coast at 11.45 o'clock tonight.

They flew several a few minutes

later. A few bombs were dropped.

The casualties are believed to be

small."

Foe Has Over Six Million Troops

General Delacour publishes in The

Temps the result of his study, sup-

posedly from authoritative sources,

of the present number of German re-

serves. He estimates that the grand

total of German troops of all kinds

and classes up to June 1st reached

18,330,000, and that this total was

depleted by losses of 3,630,000;

2,200,000 rendered unfit through

wounds, and 1,130,000 resident in

foreign countries.

General Delacour estimates that

of the balance nearly 5,500,000 are

employed as first line, rear line and

inferior troops, leaving a notable

balance of reserves of about 755,000

of which 220,000 are attached to

front depots, 355,000 in interior de-

posits, and 180,000 in process of for-

mation. This number will be in-

creased in November by 450,000 of

the class of 1919. These troops will

not, however, be available before

that for any service any more than

those in formation.

Austrian Losses of 120,000 Men in New Offensive

Plan of Enemy Seems to be

To Remain on Offensive

UDINE, Sept. 8.—About 30,000

prisoners have been taken to date

by the Italians on their present of-

ensive, while the total losses of the

Austrians are estimated at 120,000.

The Austrian plan now seems to

be to abandon counter attacks and

concentrate on the defensive along the

eastern ridge of the Banovina plat-

eau, where their positions, such as

Cerek, Draga and Volnik, about

1,000 feet higher, dominate those

occupied by the Italians by several

hundred feet, at the same time con-

centrating the efforts of their di-

visions on the Carso in the hope of

checking the slow but determined

advance of the Italians towards

the Brestovizza Valley, north of

the Hermada, has been transformed

into an inferno, with thousands of

guns pouring shells from all direc-

tions into it, while the Austrian in-

fantry incessantly are attacking

the Italians have with-

stood there no less than nine

times their forces have had to with-

draw and immediately have re-

covered the lost ground. From Her-

mada south to the sea the Austrian

infantry is attacking with the same

fervor and the battle is raging

uninterruptedly. Their present effort

is considered the maximum one of

which the Austrians are capable.

Forget Petty Politics and Face Enemy

Even Socialistic Organs in

Russia Steel Themselves For Conflict

PETROGRAD, Sept. 7th.—New-

papers of all shades of opinion, shel-

ing other questions, comment ex-

tensively on the Riga disaster. The

socialist papers publish articles in

almost identical terms calling on the

workers to perform their duty in de-

fending the revolution. The organ of

the Social-Democrats and Mima-

lists, the Rabotichyay Gazette, ap-

peals to the workmen not to wait

for the moment when the Riga dis-

aster will have become irreparable,

but to close ranks immediately, with

iron discipline and proceed to

prompt and decisive action. The

proletariat, it says, must rally around

its organizations and by a vigorous

effort save the country and the re-

volution.

The Semilla Vremya, organ of the

revolutionary socialists, says:

"History will show on whose side

the blame for our military debacle

lies. Meanwhile the situation de-

mands that all internal political quarrels

be forgotten and that an energetic

and united effort be made to face

the enemy."

PETROGRAD TO MEET SITUATION

PETROGRAD, Sept. 7.—Though

Petrograd, in the opinion of various

military authorities is in an im-

mediate danger on account of the fall

of Riga, developments, nevertheless,

are being prepared against the event-

uality of an unexpected descent by the

Germans. The temporary govern-

ment has approved a special civil

commission with authority to pre-

serve order, suppress seditious

meetings, suspend the publication of

newspapers, and where desirable

clear the city of undesirable el-

ements. The cabinet has decided that

there is yet no immediate need

for the government to be transferred

elsewhere. Although there are no

signs of a panic, there are elements

in the population, particularly mem-

bers of the wealthy class, who are

leaving, or attempting to leave in

large numbers. Many business firms

are considering transferring their

headquarters to Moscow, Nijni-Nov-

gorod, or some other provincial city.

According to the newspapers, the

present Russian front reaches the

area of a circle from the mouth of

the river Aa, southwards about

forty miles from Riga. Dinnik, ac-

cording to reports, is still holding

position at the city hall. They com-

plained that the building did not

contain the portrait of a single Ger-

man, and demanded that the

bishop be given for his residence the

palace in which Emperor Alexander

I died.

They marched through the streets

cries, "Russia is perishing—down

with the synagogues."

WOMEN START DEMONSTRATION

PETROGRAD, Sept. 7.—A crowd

of fanatical and reactionary women

at Taganrog, in the territory of the

Don-Cossacks, hearing that their

champion Bishop Leon had been

forbidden to preach in the cathedral,

marched to his house and insisted

that he preach. After the service

the women made a wild demon-

"I FEEL LIKE A NEW BEING"

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" Brought The Joy Of

Health After Two Years' Suffering

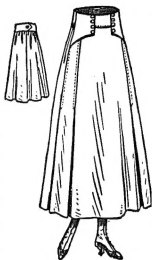


WANTED

We require a few intelligent young ladies in our Millinery Department as Apprentices.—Application should be made at the Store.

Ladies' Skirts

In navy serge, in newest style with pockets and buttons, quite up-to-date, 6.50 to 10.00
Ladies' smart Skirts in black and white check, with wide band and buckles, very smart and good style. Price \$10.00 to \$12
Ladies' one-piece dresses in navy and serge and brown poplin, with large white collars, touch of embroidery, 5.50, 6.25, and 6.50.



Children's Fall and Winter Coats

Many Smart little lines of Children's Coats in Red, Grey, and Navy. Nicely made with large Collar and Pockets. These are dainty little Coats, made from plain and fancy Tweed and Chenille Cloth. Will fit children from 3 to 12 years.

Prices from \$5.00 up



Beautiful New Models in Women's Fall Footwear

We have placed in Stock new models and lasts in "Queen Quality," "Empress," and "American Beauty" makes. They are in all kid, kid and patent leather with white and grey Cloth Tops, also in grey and nigger brown Kid Vamps, with Cloth Tops to match. In lace or button styles, in medium or full recede toes, cuban and Louis Heels.

Prices are \$6.00 to \$10.00

Special Values in Boots for the Growing Girls

AT \$4.00

For the Growing Girls wearing over 2½ we have a very neat and stylish model in Gun Metal Button with Black Cloth Tops. Medium weight flexible soles and low heels



Sizes 2½ to 6

Special \$4.00



Millinery Opening - Friday and Saturday - This Week

Your presence is respectfully requested to this our Formal Showing of Fall Millinery.

Pains, too, have been taken in making our Ready to Wear Displays attractive and educative, that our many esteemed patrons may have an even better opportunity than usual of seeing for themselves that which is most in evidence where Fashions lead.

Fashion's Mirror - Friday & Saturday, Sept. 14-15 - Floor 2

A BIG SHOWING OF NEW SILKS

We have just placed in stock a wide range of New Silks, suitable for dresses, waists, etc.

SILK POPLINS in a lovely fine finished cloth, 36 inches wide, beautiful shades of Navy, Russian Green, Nigger Brown and grey, at \$1.75 Yd.
PALETTE SILKS A very serviceable cloth with an elegant finish, 36 ins. wide, in shades of Black, Navy, Saxe, Brown, Grey; at \$1.65 Yd.

NEW COATING CLOTHS

Just to hand a new shipment of Fall and Winter Coatings, suitable for Ladies' and Children's wear; Good strong Tweeds and Blanket Cloths; a good range of patterns in plain stripe and check effects; 54 ins. wide,

Prices from \$1.85 to \$2.95 Yd.

SPLENDID VALUE IN MEN'S OVERALLS

5 dozen Men's Blue Stripe Bib Overalls, made from a good heavy stifel cloth; large, roomy garments, well made. These garments are worth considerably more money. Early buying is the only reason for this exceptionally low price.

Special at \$1.50 per pair

BE PREPARED FOR THE FIRST COLD SNAP

Fix up the broken windows and be ready for the first cold snap.

Let us do your glazing. We use only the best quality glass, and our prices are right.

SEE OUR LINE OF HEATERS & RANGES LANTERNS

The latest improved short globe lantern. Will not blow out in strong wind.

\$1.00

Value in Ladies' Light Weight Hose

Fast dye, spliced toes and heels, side seam. A hose well worth half as much again what we ask for them. In black only, sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10

Per pair - 19c

A Heavier Hose for Immediate Wear

A heavier weight, very suitable for Immediate Wear. A hose of full fashion, seamless, and of fast black dye. This is an old leader, when the present stock is exhausted the price will be 50c a pair

Special 35c pair. 3 pairs \$1.00. All sizes.

A PILLOW CASE SPECIAL

Worthy of the attention of every housewife. This offering of pillow cases is undoubtedly an opportunity you must avail yourself of if you would be economical. At the regular price of 60c this line is considered a little better than good value, but for a few days you may purchase these pure cotton slips for 49c pair, large size and neatly hemmed

Special - 49c a pair

THE

W. E. LORD Co., Ltd.

Boys' Jersey and Sweater Coats

Our Stock is very complete and you should get one for the boy while the sizes are complete, all sizes 22 to 32, prices \$1.25 to \$3.75

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS and Odd Knickers

We have a big assortment of Boys' Suits and Odd Knickers suitable for School wear.

Lion Brand Suits and Knickers are made strong to stand hard wear. Double seats and knees and elbows. Satisfaction made sure when buying Lion Brand.

Suits in plain and Norfolk styles, in strong serviceable tweeds to fit boys from 5 to 15 years, from \$5.00 up.

Knickers in plain bloomer style, buckle, elastic and governor fasteners at knee; made strong, look well, all sizes from \$1.00 up.



"The Alexander" LION BRAND

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR FOR MEN

The old reliable make that stands the test. You are always sure of getting satisfaction in every way when buying Stanfield's unshrinkable underwear. We are showing our usual big range of these garments for fall and winter wear. Don't put off buying too long as our present prices can only last until our stock on hand is sold. There is bound to be a big advance later. We will be pleased to have you inspect our values whether you intend buying now or not. Our range is complete in one or two piece suits, and our prices are right. Try a suit and be comfortable.



Men's New Tweed Hats FOR FALL WEAR

We have just received a large shipment of New Tweed Hats for Men. There is nothing so dressy as a nice Tweed Hat for fall wear. We are showing these in many neat patterns of checks and plaids in grey and fawn mixtures. A good looking, serviceable hat.

Prices \$2.00 to \$3.00

Men's Sweater Coats IN A GREAT VARIETY

We are now showing a big range of new Fall Sweaters for Men. Monarch and Quigley Brands, perfect fitting garments in every respect. A splendid range of color, Fawn, Grey, Red, and Khaki. Light, medium, and heavy weight. You are sure to need one, why not buy now while the assortment is complete?

Prices range from \$2.50 up

MILITARY SERVICE ACT PROVISIONS

Six Local Tribunals To Be Appointed by Judge Mahaffy

Sir Robert Borden on Wednesday told the War Veterans that within ninety days men raised under the Military Service Act would be in khaki.

The Ottawa Citizen says that the Government intended to exercise a judicious selection under the Act. Men who bona fide are engaged in vital industry and who cannot be replaced with, according to the regulations, be entitled to exemption. In this class are those engaged in agriculture, mining, fishing or other lines of production connected with the prosecution of the war. It gives the following details:—

"When the proclamation is issued calling up the first class—unmarried men, 20 to 34 years old—a certain time, not yet determined, will be given to report to military headquarters in the district. Those who claim exemption will be in the meantime go to the exemption tribunals, who determine not those who are to go, but those who are to stay behind. There will be no mobilization of the men required until the tribunals pass on all the applications for exemption. For doubtless, many who will seek relief from the obligation of service will not have their applications entertained."

"Forms of application for exemption will be placed in every post office and when filled out they will be forwarded free of postage either to a provincial registrar for each province, who will allocate them to the proper local tribunal, or they may be addressed directly to the head of the tribunal."

"As a preliminary step it is intended to establish at once military medical boards in each province, to the end that those of the first class who claim exemption because of physical unfitness may go and be examined. If they secure certificates of disability, the presentation of them to the exemption tribunal will lead to the prompt issue of exemption certificates."

"It is anticipated that during the present week, the preliminary committee which is to select part of the exemption tribunals to act with judges will be constituted."

"These local tribunals, of which there will be six in Red Deer (Dominion riding, viz.: at Ponoka, Lacombe, Red Deer, Fossil, Rocky Mountain House, and Delburne, will be composed of two men each, one of whom will be a local resident, and the other selected by the district court judge in Red Deer by Judge Mahaffy and one by a Board of Selection appointed by Parliament. Judge Mahaffy had a wire on Thursday from the Deputy Minister of Justice at Ottawa asking him to make his appointments from these designated local tribunals. Any of these local tribunals can sit, the wire says, at any other place in the riding, if necessary or advisable. The judges appointees are to be residents of the locality in which they act. Those who are selected to act on these tribunals are compelled to act, unless they have reasonable excuse, under penalty of imprisonment. The Chief Justice of Alberta is given authority to appoint appeal tribunals which shall hear appeals from the local tribunals."

"When the Government by proclamation calls out a certain class or sub-class of men, all men within that class or sub-class so called, or shall, from the date of such proclamation, be deemed to be soldiers enlisted in the military forces of Canada and subject to military law for the duration of the present war, and shall be placed on active service in the Canadian Expeditionary Force as may be set out in such proclamation or in regulations, but until so placed on active service, shall be deemed to be on leave of absence without pay. Any man by or in respect of whom an application for exemption is made as hereinafter provided, shall, so long as such application or application for exemption is in connection therewith is received and during the currency of any exemption granted him, be deemed to be on leave of absence without pay. Any man who is called out and who, without reasonable excuse, fails to report as aforesaid shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for any term not exceeding five years, with hard labor."

Exemptions

11. (1) At any time before a date to be fixed in the proclamation mentioned in section four, an application may be made, by or in respect of any man in the class or sub-class called out by such proclamation, for exemption from the provisions of the local tribunal established in the province in which such man ordinarily resides, for a certificate of exemption on any of the following grounds:—

(b) That it is expedient in the national interests that the man should, instead of being employed in military service, be engaged in other work in which he is habitually engaged;

(c) That it is expedient in the national interests that the man should, instead of being employed in military service, be engaged in other work in which he is habitually engaged;

(d) That it is expedient in the national interests that, instead of being employed in military service, he should continue to be educated

or trained for any work for which he is then being educated or trained;

(e) That serious hardship would ensue, if the man were placed on active service, owing to his exceptional financial or business obligations or domestic position;

(f) Ill health or infirmity;

(g) That he conscientiously objects to the undertaking of combatant service and is prohibited from so doing by the tenets and articles of faith, in effect under the act of July, 1917, of any organized religious denomination existing and well recognized in Canada at such date, and to which he is in good faith and belongs;

(h) If any of the grounds of such application be established, a certificate of exemption shall be granted to such man.

(2) (a) A certificate may be conditional as to the time or otherwise and if granted solely on consent of an officer or on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year.

(b) A certificate granted on the ground of the continuance of education or training or on the ground of exceptional financial or business obligations or domestic position, shall be conditional only.

(c) No certificate shall be conditional upon a person to whom it is granted continuing in or entering into any employment, or any specified employer or in any specified place of establishment.

(d) A certificate may transfer a man to the class next in numerical order.

(e) When a conditional certificate is granted the conditions shall be stated on the certificate.

(f) It shall be the duty of any man holding a conditional certificate within three days after the conditions stated therein cease to exist or after his exemption terminates, to give notice in writing of such fact to the Registrar of the province in which he ordinarily resides, and if he fails without reasonable excuse to do so, he shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars.

(3) Subject to such conditions as to application and notice as may be provided by regulations, and subject to the provisions of paragraph (b) of this section, a certificate may, during the currency thereof, be renewed, varied or withdrawn at any time selected by the local tribunal issuing the same.

(4) Any person who, for the purpose of obtaining a certificate or a conditional certificate, or for any other person, or for the purpose of obtaining the renewal, variation or withdrawal of a certificate, makes any false statement or representation, shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months with or without hard labor.

(5) (a) Any man who, having applied to a local tribunal for a certificate, makes any false statement or representation, shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months with or without hard labor.

(b) Any man who, having applied to a local tribunal for a certificate, makes any false statement or representation, shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months with or without hard labor.

(c) Any person who alters or tampers with a certificate or, for the purpose of evading this Act, falsely represents himself to be a person to whom a certificate has been granted, or if granted a certificate, allows for like purpose, any other person to use the same, shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months.

(7) When a certificate is lost, destroyed or defaced, the tribunal by which it was granted, shall, upon application of the man to whom it was granted and upon payment of a fee of fifty cents, issue him a duplicate of such certificate.

General Provisions

13. (1) The Military Act, the Army Act and the King's Regulations and Orders for the Army shall so far as applicable and not inconsistent therewith apply to and form part of this Act.

(2) Section twelve and sub-section two of section forty and the proviso to section forty-two of the Military Act shall not apply to men liable to be called out under this Act.

(3) The Minister of Militia and Defence may transfer to the Naval Service any man who has reported for duty under the provisions of this Act.

(4) Unless further authorized by Parliament the reinforcements provided under this Act shall not extend to more than one hundred thousand men.

(5) Nothing in this Act contained shall be held to limit or affect the punishment provided by any other

Act or law for the offence of assisting the enemy or the powers of the Governor in Council under The War Measures Act, 1914.

14. If in any prosecution under this Act any question shall arise in respect of the status hereinafter mentioned the burden of proof shall be upon the person charged to establish by satisfactory evidence:

(a) that he does not come within any specified class or sub-class;

(b) that he has duly reported in accordance with section four;

(c) that he comes within any of the exemptions set out in the Schedule hereto;

(d) that he has been duly exempted under section eleven.

And in the absence of such evidence the contrary shall be conclusively presumed.

15. (1) Every man within the classes described in section three shall be liable on summary conviction to report, as provided in section four, whenever required by a peace officer or by any person who has authority for the purpose, to produce his certificate if he has one, and shall answer truthfully all inquiries bearing on the question of his compliance or non-compliance with any provision of this Act.

(2) Any such man who fails to comply with this section shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year.

16. (1) Any person who comes within any of the classes set out in section three, and who contravenes any of the provisions of this Act or any regulations for which contravention no other penalty is herein provided, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty not less than ten dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

(2) Any person who by means of any written or printed communication, or by any other means, or by any oral communication or by any public speech or utterance,

(a) advises or urges that men described in section three shall contravene this Act or regulations, or

(b) wilfully resists or impedes, or attempts wilfully to resist or impede, or persuades or induces or attempts to persuade or induce any person or class of persons to resist or impede the operation or enforcement of this Act, or

(c) for the purpose of resisting or impeding the enforcement or operation of this Act, persuades or induces or attempts to persuade or induce any person or class of persons to refrain from making applications for Certificates of Exemption or submitting evidence in respect thereof,

shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on indictment or upon summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not less than one year nor more than five years.

(3) Any newspaper, book, periodical, pamphlet or printed publication containing matter prohibited by sub-section two of this section may, whether the printer or publisher consents thereto or not, be summarily suppressed and further printing or publication thereof and of any future issue of a newspaper, book, periodical, pamphlet or printed publication which has contained such matter may be prohibited for any term not exceeding the duration of the present war.

17. All expenditures under or for the purposes of this Act shall be paid out of such moneys as Parliament may appropriate for the purpose.

Exemptions

1. Men who hold a certificate under this Act and in force, other than a certificate of exemption from combatant service only.

2. Members of His Majesty's regular, or reserve, or auxiliary forces, as defined by the Army Act.

3. Members of the military forces of the Government of any of His Majesty's other dominions or by the Government of India.

4. Men serving in the Royal Navy or in the Royal Marines, or in the Naval Service of Canada, and members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

5. Men who have since August 4th, 1914, served in the Military or Naval Forces of Great Britain or her allies in any theatre of actual war and have been honorably discharged therefrom.

6. Clergy, including divinity students and members of any recognized order of an exclusively religious character, and members of religious denominations existing in Canada at the date of the passing of this Act.

Those persons exempted from Military Service by Order-in-Council of August 13th, 1917, and by Order-in-Council of December 6th, 1918.

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SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES

In the Municipality of the City of Red Deer, the Red Deer Public School District Number 104, and the Red Deer Separate School District Number 17, of the Province of Alberta, for arrears of taxes and costs.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that certain lands in the Municipality of the City of Red Deer, the Red Deer Public School District Number 104, and the Red Deer Separate School District Number 17, will be offered for sale, for arrears of taxes and costs, on Monday, October 1st, A.D. 1917, at the City Hall, Ross Avenue, in the City of Red Deer, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m.

A full list of the lands to be offered for sale may be found in the issues of "The News," a newspaper published in the City of Red Deer on the following dates, viz.—Wednesday, July 25th, August 1st, 8th and 15th, 1917.

And unless the arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid, the undersigned, Secretary-Treasurer, of the City of Red Deer will proceed to sell the lands referred to for taxes and costs on the day and at the time and place above mentioned.

A. T. STEPHENSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

To Albert Thorburn Stephenson, Esquire,
Secretary-Treasurer, City of Red Deer.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:—

I, George Wilbur Smith, Mayor of the City of Red Deer, by virtue of the powers in me vested under the provisions of the Municipal Ordinance as Mayor of the City of Red Deer do hereby command you to levy upon the lands in the list hereto prefixed and attested under my official hand and the seal of the corporation of the City of Red Deer, for the arrears of taxes and costs owing thereon respectively to the City of Red Deer, with your costs incidental thereto, and proceed to sell the said lands so as to realize the amounts due and owing thereon respectively to the City of Red Deer, for the arrears of taxes and costs, and your costs incidental thereon for the recovery of the said sums respectively as the law directs, and for your so doing this shall be your warrant and authority.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the corporate seal of the City of Red Deer this 20th day of July, A.D. 1917.

(Signed) G. W. SMITH,
Mayor.

MAKING PROGRESS IN MIXED FARMING

Statistics Show Huge Increase in Live Stock—Good Effect on Business

The Winnipeg "Free Press" a few weeks ago presented the following figures showing the rapid increase of hogs in the Western province.

"The very best evidence of the growth of live stock production in the Canadian West are the shipments of hogs. Returns are complete for the months of January, February, March and April, and these returns show that during the month of January—

Manitoba shipped..... 15,700

Saskatchewan shipped..... 15,258

Alberta shipped..... 60,278

Total..... 91,236

In February—

Manitoba shipped..... 10,087

Saskatchewan shipped..... 16,910

Alberta shipped..... 60,160

Total..... 87,157

In March—

Manitoba shipped..... 9,634

Saskatchewan shipped..... 18,337

Alberta shipped..... 45,214

Total..... 73,214

In April—

Manitoba shipped..... 7,429

Saskatchewan shipped..... 15,167

Alberta shipped..... 59,896

Total..... 82,595

Making a grand total for the four months of..... 339,953

Although the exact returns are not yet available for May and June, the evidence of weekly shipments is such as to indicate that the total shipments for the first six months of 1917 will be at least 500,000, or only 46,000 less than the total shipments for the twelve months of 1916.

A very conservative estimate of the value of these hogs to the farmer is \$120.00 per head, or \$60,000,000 for the six months, or \$1,000,000 a month for hog products alone. The very great bulk of these hogs were marketed when they were from seven to eight months old.

Effect on Business

With this enormous amount of money coming in, it is not surprising that the wholesale trade reports that collections, particularly during April, May and June were better than anticipated.

More than one manager of a wholesale house stated that for many years accounts were not paid before they had, but this year there has been a steady reduction of accounts every month, and they attributed it to the increased amount of cash in circulation from the sales of hogs and other live stock. It must be borne in mind that not only has there been an unusual amount of money in the pockets of the farmer, but the amount of cattle offered for sale has been larger than anticipated, and the increase was not from the ranches, but from the smaller stock farms.

Those who commenced advocating mixed farming for the West a few years ago, when every one was grain crazy, may well point with pride to this wonderful record in hog production. They may also take credit to themselves for the increase in cattle, sheep, poultry, etc., which is also very great, although not perhaps so spectacular as what has been done by hogs. The influence of this enormous live stock development is already apparent in sound business conditions in districts in which live stock production centers.

That the movement may long continue is the wish of every one who has the true interests of the West at heart. Mixed farming has been the only sound business policy for the West for many years, and it is a sound policy today than ever before.

COURAGE WILL COME IF IT IS CULTIVATED

So Says General Baden-Powell in Discussing the Four Big C's of a Good Soldier Should Possess

Courage, common sense, cunning, and cheerfulness! The cultivation of these four attributes is, in the opinion of Sir Robert Baden-Powell, quite as important as skill in the making of a modern soldier. The question naturally arises can courage be cultivated? In the opinion of Sir Robert it can, and without it a soldier is practically useless in the field.

He tells a story to illustrate his point. General Nogi, the great Japanese leader, who displayed in his life and in his death the highest personal courage. General Nogi once said that, though timid by nature, he had developed this quality by stern self-discipline. When he found a job which caused him apprehension or fear, he forced himself to face it, and to repeat it again and again until it no longer had any terrors for him. "It is the taking of one step at a time," says Sir Robert in his book, "Quick Training for War," "that enables a man to stick it out against the impulse of his knees to give in or to run away in a crisis."

Courage is a gift of confidence, and no matter how timid a soldier may be at first, if he knows that he can handle a rifle and sword well, manage a horse as some good officers, and is healthy enough to march at the best, he can very soon cultivate it.

In regard to the second of the "C's"—cunning—Sir Robert points out that, although the science of strategy and tactics looks formidable in the text-books, these really only lay down the facts of the situation, and it is the soldier who must serve to guide the leaders when applying their common sense to the situation. "No two situations," he says, "are ever precisely the same, and it is therefore impossible to lay

HOW NAMES ORIGINATE

It was James L. who had a pretty wit of his own that named the part of the beef "above the loin," sirloin. In his day that particular cut was called by its French name surloin, or "over the loin." But the English monarch was so pleased with a dish of meat served him one day after the platter as if he were to dub a knight, he exclaimed not surloin, but "sir Loin" and from that day the juicy steak bears the noble name of sirloin.

The strawberry plant never would stay at home 'round the parent stock so like other wanderers it lost its good name.

Whatever name the little red berry had in the beginning no one seems to remember, but because the vine was always straying from the main plant it was called "stray-berry." After awhile even that name was lost by mispronunciation, and the luscious berry that bears no resemblance at all to straw is now called strawberry.

The "Old Cow" of Old Deer was not ragtime. History throws very little light on the career of this unhappy bovine, but it does relate that when she had nothing to eat her farmer tried to make her forget her troubles by playing a tune on his fiddle. The tune was too much for her. She gave up the ghost and died.

It was a bishop of olden times who first "put his foot in it," and even since his most ordinary layman, who makes a blunder is said to "put his foot in it."

It wasn't the bishop's fault after all, but the housewives who ran to doors and windows every time the good bishop passed and asked for his blessing—and while getting it bare the poor creature's ears. Then they blamed the bishop for the trouble and said "the bishop put his foot in it."

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The shooting this year promises to be even better than last. The country is alive with ducks and the sloughs are not too deep.

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Which are slightly chipped. Mr. Farmer—you will need cups and saucers for the threshing time. Do not pass this bargain. The cheapest now are \$2.00 per dozen, and still going up. Buy now before they are all gone.

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Local and District Intelligence

Boris Hambourg.

Mr. Jonas Jonsson started teaching at Cumberland this week, and Mr. Linton Gaetz at Valley Centre.

Mrs. Gess, daughter of Mr. John Lambert, is seriously ill with typhoid fever in Calgary hospital.

The regular business meeting of the I.O.E. will be held on Friday at 3 o'clock. All members try, and be present.

Elta M. Conley, of Arbutus, won the prize in Red Deer inseparable given by the Edmonton Canadian clubs for a Confederation essay from pupils of Grade VIII.

Word was received a few days ago announcing that the creameries operated by Dan Markelberg have received several prizes at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto.

Mr. K. M. Byers left Saturday on a month's visit to relatives of Light self and Mrs. Byers in Michigan and Eastern Ontario. Mr. A. McCaskill is taking his place at Cushing House.

King Edward Music Reader, Book 11; New Normal Music Course, Books 11 and 12, and Common School Book of Vocal Music at John McVicar's Book Store.

Mr. A. G. Ayres was in attendance at the meeting of the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Sons of England at Medicine Hat on Labor Day and was re-elected Grand Treasurer.

Punch Barham, one of the genial western cow punchers, was seen walking around the city one day last week leading a dog by ten feet of chain, breed unknown. He looked happy.

Mrs. G. W. Frost has returned from Calgary after seeing off her son Norman with the 15th Light Horse. She hopes that her husband, for over two years a prisoner in Germany, is in the last exchange of prisoners.

The W.C.T.U. will meet for Red Cross sewing at the home of Mrs. A. Hicks on Friday afternoon. Members kindly note that the date for sewing has been changed to the second Friday of each month instead of the first Friday, as formerly.

Grant Stickle, who won the prize for best potatoes at the Horticultural Society's Show, is offering his crop for seed purposes, as they are all registered varieties. Now is the time to get your seed for next year. See ad. in another column.

As the city will be canvassed tomorrow, Thursday, for the suffering people on the Front Street, the regular monthly canvass for the Red Cross Society will not be held this week, but will be held on the third Thursday of September or the 20th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Russell went down to Calgary Wednesday to welcome Judge and Mrs. Russell, of Halifax, N.S., who have come out to visit their sons in the West. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Russell will have the pleasure of Mr. Russell's parents' company at Red Deer for a good part of September.

The trio of artists, Boris Hambourg, Laurence Lambert and Gerald Moore, will give an excellent concert in the Methodist Church this Friday evening. Don't miss it. The admission is 50c, 75c, and \$1.00. The choir of the Methodist Church have been given most favorable terms for managing this concert, and you will be helping this home organization by your presence.

Baptist Church, Rev. L. Elgin Brough, Pastor. Next Sunday the pastor will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Deliver us from evil." Evening subject, "A Doxology of Triumph." Both sermons will be on the Lord's Prayer. Sunday School at 12 o'clock sharp. The public are invited to these services.

The boys and girls of the Baptist Sunday School are asked to be on hand in the church this evening at 7 o'clock, to practice for Rally Sunday.

Rev. Brough will preach at Poplar Ridge Schoolhouse next Sunday at 3 p.m. Subject, "The evil in the world and how to master it."

BIRTH In Red Deer, on August 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Davies, Evans, a daughter.

DIED At Kerrobert hospital, Kerrobert, Sask., Sept. 9th, 1917, aged 49, Ada Taylor, beloved wife of Samuel Taylor, Red Deer.

At Fekville, Sept. 6th, 1917, Henry MacAlpian Forhan, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Oswald M. Forhan, aged 2 years.

IN MEMORIAM Ever dear to the memory of Frank Herbert England (killed in action September 9th, 1916). "He died that we might live."

In a lovely grave my dear one lies, In far off distant lands, far away, Lies he who was so dear to me, A soldier and a man.

Flowers may wither, leaves may die, Some may forget you but never I, Sleep on, dear one, and take your rest, I miss you most who loved you best.

—MOTHER.

Thanksgiving Day has been changed from October 5th to October 1st.

Bishop Pinkham was the guest of Mrs. T. S. Miller while in the city over Sunday last.

Mrs. (Lieut.) Taylor and Miss L. Houston have returned from their visit to Banff.

Mrs. T. McBride, of Chenail, is spending a few weeks holiday with her sister, Mrs. Thos. H. Fawcett.

Frank Carawell, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carawell for several weeks, returned to his home in Ontario Monday last.

Piano students should not miss the opportunity of seeing and hearing Gerald Moore at the Methodist Church this Friday evening. Admission, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00.

The cushion drawn for at the Lyric Monday evening on behalf of the returned soldier, Pte. Panglin of the 31st, was won by E. A. Paulson with ticket No. 97. The cushion may be had by calling at Dr. George's residence.

Sergeant Hanna has moved to the R.N.M.P. barracks, on 2nd Street S.E. from his residence on Gaetz Avenue, South. J. R. McClure is moving from Victoria Avenue to Waskasop. F. E. Sevanke is moving from Victoria Avenue to Sixth St. North. Mrs. Stickle leaves for Camrose to take up residence in that town on October 1st.

CITY OF RED DEER

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the Voters' list for the City of Red Deer for the year 1917 is now completed, and may be seen at the City Office during office hours.

Applications for additions or corrections must be made by November 1st, 1917. Forms may be obtained at the City Office.

A. T. STEPHENSON,

Secretary-Treasurer

Sept. 12, 3 w.

WANTED—A HIGH SCHOOL GIRL, age 15, wants a place to stay and work on board. Apply, Welbeck Farm, Bentley, Alta. Sep. 10, 1 w.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR AN improved farm—A clear titled 5 roomed house on Halley Street, cement foundations, with barn for four head of horses; chicken house, pig sty, well and pump; one lot 50 x 150, fenced and well wooded; taxes all paid. Apply to N. Woodford, 203 Fairbairn Block, 97th Street, Edmonton. Sep. 12.

FOR SALE—REGISTERED BERSHIRE swine, due to farrow in October. Apply to L. Brennan, Cross Roads, Red Deer P.O. Sep. 8, 1 w.

SEED POTATOES FOR SALE Seed potatoes, 4 varieties, about 10 bushels of each. First prize collection at the Horticultural Show—grown from Steele Briggs best seed. EXTRA EARLY BOBBEY—Heavy cropper, dry, ready. MANITOBA WONDER—Heavy cropper, a little later variety. EARLY DUTCH—Choice seed of this well-known variety.

ROYAL RUSSET—A late variety, practically scab proof; white dry and floury. Orders filled October 1st, as we are moving to Camrose. Apply, Grant Stickle, 606, Gaetz Avenue S. or Phone 175. Sep. 12, 1 w.

CASH AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from Mr. Eric Brock, who has enlisted, I will sell by public auction at his place, the S.E. 24-38-27, West 4th, 3 miles east of Red Deer, in the Imperial district, the following live-stock and implements, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1917. CATTLE AND HORSES Eleven calves. Seven yearlings, 5 of which are heifers. Milk cows. Shorthorn bull, 3 horses (geldings). IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

John Deere mower, John Deere mowing machine, hay rack, 4-section drag harrows; tongue truck; 11 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse engine; No. 15 Delaval cream separator; democratic top buggy; 800 sleighs; small tools; set double work harness; set plow harness; single driving harness; saddle, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS CASH Sale at One o'clock, sharp. A. ROGERS, Auctioneer. Sep. 12, 1 w.

Wm. HAMMOND, Clerk.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 19th day of October, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years. TWICE per week on the route Proposed ROUTE NO. 1, MAIL ROUTE, to commence at the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of both Zenith, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Office, Edmonton, 7th September, 1917. A. W. CAIRNS, Post Office Inspector.

Sept. 12, 3 w.

STRAYED—BAY MARE, 5 YEARS old, weight about 800 lbs. Had rope halter on when last seen. G. Dimmock, Near Great West Hotel, Red Deer. Sept. 12, 1 w.

WANTED—A MARRIED COUPLE to occupy residence and look after offices on 1st Street South. Drs. Collison & Sanders. Aug. 15, t.f.

EXPERIENCED MAID WANTED—Apply to Mrs. Wm. Hammond, 1st Street South-east, Parkville, Red Deer. July 16, t.f.

LOST—A PAIR OF GOLD MOUNTED Spectacles in case, Fair week. Finder please leave at "News" office and receive suitable reward. Mrs. Esther Sand, Edwell. Sept. 5, 2 w.

WANTED—YOUNG LADIES IN the Military Department as apprentices. W. E. Lord Co., Ltd. Aug. 22, 1 w.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT—Fully modern eight-roomed brick house, four bed rooms, very centrally located, being opposite City Offices and Fire Hall on Ross St. \$35 per month on yearly lease. For further information inquire of the present tenant, Miss S. Lowden or to W. E. Chadsey, Box 2125, Edmonton, Alta. Aug. 29, t.f.

STRAYED—FROM THE FARM OF Wm. O'Connor, Hillman, one dark bay or brown filly, two years old, white spot on face and a little white on one hind foot; one chestnut stallion, one year old, white spot on face; one bay stallion, one year old, white strip on face, two white hind feet and one front; one bay yearling filly, white strip on face and four white feet to the knees. Information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded. \$43.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Rocky Mountain House: TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge Mahaffy, Judge of the District Court of Red Deer, will, at the Sittings of the Court at Rocky Mountain House on Tuesday, 23rd day of October, 1917, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Rocky Mountain House. Dated at Rocky Mountain House, this 23rd day of August, 1917. STANLEY WILSON, Secretary-Treasurer Village of Rocky Mountain House. Aug. 29, 8 w.

AMENDED NOTICE

In the matter of Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Rocky Mountain House: Take notice that His Honor Judge Mahaffy, Judge of the District Court of Red Deer, will, at the adjourned sittings of the Court to be held at Rocky Mountain House on Tuesday, the 13th day of November, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Rocky Mountain House. Dated at Rocky Mountain House, this 6th day of September, 1917. STANLEY WILSON, Sec'y-Treas. Village of Rocky Mountain House. Sep. 12, 8 w.

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You can save money.

JOHN PERCIVAL, District Agent, Red Deer. Sep. 4, 4 w.

NOTICE

Having decided to give my entire time to the wholesale part of my business, I will close my retail Meat Market on the 15th day of September, and I take this opportunity to thank the people of Red Deer for the patronage which I have enjoyed during the past eleven years that I have had dealings with them. From this date on, please call at the office over the old Meat Market and arrange for the settlements of their accounts.

Notice

I will be found after September 15 at the old stand where I will buy and sell all kinds of live stock, EGGES, PURS, HAY, and produce of all kinds for which I will pay the highest cash price.

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